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Docket No.: APTPEP1.048A

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			SUB TOTAL	\$1,020
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AMENDMENT

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 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the *Office Action* mailed May 2, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and comments in connection with the above-captioned application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 1 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.